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1. The amendment filed on 29 November 2006 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:

- a) entered.
- b) entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.
- c) disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.
Any amendment filed after the date the issue fee is paid must be accompanied by a petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(1) and the required fee to withdraw the application from issue.
- d) disapproved. See explanation below.
- e) entered in part. See explanation below.

The changes to claim 3 of the 11/29/2006 amendment have been entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention. However, the remaining claims of the 11/29/2006 amendment have not been entered since no amendments were made to these claims. Moreover, at least claim 4 of the 11/29/2006 amendment contains typographical errors. Accordingly, this amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.312 has been entered in part.

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